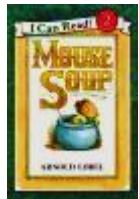


Souper Stories



Mouse soup by Arnold Lobel

ER LOB

A mouse convinces a weasel he needs the ingredients from several stories to make a tasty mouse soup.



Growing vegetable soup

by Lois Ehlert

E EHL

A father and child grow vegetables and then make them into a soup.

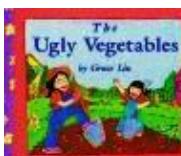


Martha blah blah

by Susan Meddaugh

E MED

When the current owner of the soup company breaks the founder's promise to have every letter of the alphabet in every can of soup, Martha, the talking dog, takes action.



The ugly vegetables by Grace Lin

E LIN

A little girl thinks her mother's garden is the ugliest in the neighborhood until she discovers that flowers might look and smell pretty but Chinese vegetable soup smells best of all. Includes a recipe.



Tumbleweed stew

by Susan Stevens Crummel

E CRU

Jack Rabbit tricks the other animals into helping him make a pot of tumbleweed stew.



Soup day by Melissa Iwai

E IWA

A mother and child spend a snowy day together buying and preparing vegetables, assembling ingredients, and playing while their big pot of soup bubbles on the stove. Includes a recipe for "Snowy Day Vegetable Soup."



Perfect soup by Lisa Moser

E MOS

Murray the mouse goes into town for the carrot he needs to make Perfect Soup, and soon finds himself with a chain of favors...if only a friendly snowman can help him get things started.

CAMPBELL'S SOUP SONG, REDUX

Mmmmmm mmmmm good,
Mmmmm mmmmm good,
(Child's name) is mmmmm good.

LIP BUBBLES

("Bubble" sound with your finger and lips)

Bubble said the kettle
Bubble said the pot
bubble bubble bubble bubble
We are getting hot!

Shall I take you off the fire?
No you need not trouble--
This is just the way we talk:
Bubble bubble bubble

VEGETABLE SOUP SONG

Tune: Farmer in the Dell

The soup is boiling up, the soup is boiling up
Stir slow, around we go, the soup is boiling up.

Suggested verses:

First we add the broth....
Now we add some carrots...
Now we add potatoes...
Now we add tomatoes...
The soup is finally done....

RAINBOW STEW

Rainbow Stew, Rainbow Stew,
Try a spoonful, maybe two!
What goes into Rainbow Stew?

Put in green beans
Put in green beans.
Put in green beans.
Put them in the pot.

(children wearing green)

Put in the red tomatoes...and stir the pot!
...white potatoes...and stir the pot!
...orange carrots...and stir the pot!

(add colored veggies until everyone is in the pot)

GONNA MAKE VEGETABLE SOUP

(Tune: "She'll be Coming 'Round the Mountain")

Gonna make some vegetable soup, yum, yum!
Gonna make some vegetable soup, yum, yum!
Gonna make some vegetable soup,
Gonna make some vegetable soup,
Gonna make some vegetable soup, yum, yum!

PEAS PORRIDGE

Peas porridge hot, peas porridge cold,
Peas Porridge in the pot nine days old.

Some like it hot, some like it cold,
Some like it the pot, nine days old.

Other verses (let children suggest ingredients):

Gonna slice some orange carrots for the soup...
Gonna chop up some potatoes for the soup...
Gonna chop up some onions for the soup...
Gonna put a great big soup bone in the soup...

